

SENATE RESOLUTION 100
By Crutchfield

A RESOLUTION to commend Joanna Koplan for exemplary
service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Joanna Koplan is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Senate Majority Leader, Ward Crutchfield; Joanna's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, the daughter of Margarette Dodd and A. Ronald Koplan, Joanna was a member of the Future Business Leaders of America while a student at Ooltewah High School and won first place in the FBLA state competition for Business Communication in 2000; and

WHEREAS, a student at the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga, where she is highly regarded by her peers, Joanna has achieved academic success while majoring in Political Science with a concentration in Legal Studies, minoring in Criminal Justice, and participating in numerous extracurricular activities; she also attended Chattanooga State University prior to her tenure at UT-Chattanooga; and

WHEREAS, Joanna has distinguished herself many times over at UTC, making the Dean's List every term, being inducted into Phi Theta Kappa, and currently maintaining a 3.89 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, actively involved in college life, Joanna is a member of the UTC Political Science Club and the Spanish Club; and

WHEREAS, actively seeking to further her education, and enhance her career prospects, Joanna's goal is to attend law school after graduating from college; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexity of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Joanna Koplan brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2003 session of the One Hundred Third General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2003 legislative session, Joanna Koplan has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Joanna Koplan has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend Joanna Koplan for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Ward Crutchfield, Senate Majority Leader, and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.